

**AGENDA  
MAINE STATE HARNESS RACING COMMISSION  
MEETING**

**July 9, 2015**

Conference Room, Gambling Control Board  
Department of Public Safety  
45 Commerce Drive, Augusta, ME  
**Starting Time 10:00 AM**

**Call the Meeting to Order:** Barbara Dresser, Chair

**Approve Minutes:**

**Adjudicatory Hearings:**

- 1. RE: Shawn Thayer, Complaint Number 2015 MSHRC 007.** Mr. Thayer is alleged to have violated MSHRC Rules Chapter 11 Section 1. Mr. Thayer is trainer of record of "Inthenameofjames". A blood sample obtained from Inthenameofjames following the Fourth Race on May 5, 2015 at Bangor Raceway disclosed the presence of Clenbuterol, a Class III Drug.
- 2. RE: Shawn Thayer, Complaint Number 2015 MSHRC 010.** Mr. Thayer is alleged to have violated MSHRC Rules Chapter 11 Section 1. Mr. Thayer is trainer of record of "Born That Way". A blood sample obtained from Born That Way following the Third Race on May 18, 2015 at Bangor Raceway disclosed the presence of Clenbuterol, a Class III Drug.
- 3. RE: Shawn Thayer, Complaint Number 2015 MSHRC 011.** Mr. Thayer is alleged to have violated MSHRC Rules Chapter 11 Section 1. Mr. Thayer is trainer of record of "Yummy Sushi". A blood sample obtained from Yummy Sushi following the Ninth Race on May 19, 2015 at Bangor Raceway disclosed the presence of Clenbuterol, a Class III Drug.
- 4. RE: Shawn Thayer, Complaint Number 2015 MSHRC 015.** Mr. Thayer is alleged to have violated MSHRC Rules Chapter 11 Section 1. Mr. Thayer is trainer of record of "Forever Wild". A blood sample obtained from Forever Wild following the Seventh Race on May 22, 2015 at Bangor Raceway disclosed the presence of Clenbuterol, a Class III Drug.
- 5. RE: Shawn Thayer, Complaint Number 2015 MSHRC 013.** Mr. Thayer is alleged to have violated MSHRC Rules Chapter 11 Section 1. Mr. Thayer is trainer of record of "Born That Way". A blood sample obtained from Born That Way following the Eighth Race on May 25, 2015 at Bangor Raceway disclosed the presence of Clenbuterol, a Class III Drug.
- 6. RE: Valerie Grondin, Complaint Number 2015 MSHRC 016.** Ms. Grondin is alleged to have violated MSHRC Rules Chapter 11 Section 1. Ms. Grondin is trainer of record of "Pembroke Picture". A blood sample obtained from Pembroke Picture following the Second Qualifying Race on May 26, 2015 at Bangor Raceway disclosed the presence of Diclofenac, a Class IV Drug.
- 7. RE: Valerie Grondin, Complaint Number 2014 MSHRC 031.** Ms. Grondin is alleged to have violated MSHRC Rules Chapter 11 Section 8. Ms. Grondin is trainer of record of "Pembroke Picture". A blood sample obtained from Pembroke Picture following the Sixth Race on November 10, 2014 at Bangor Raceway disclosed the presence of an excessive level of Flunixin.
- 8. RE: Elizabeth Chenard, Complaint Number 2015 MSHRC 006.** Ms. Chenard is alleged to have violated MSHRC Rules Chapter 11 Section 1. Ms. Chenard is trainer of record of "Ladyofcastlebrook". A blood sample obtained from Ladyofcastlebrook following the Fourth Race at Scarborough Downs on May 3, 2015 disclosed the presence of Methocarbamol, a Class IV Drug.
- 9. RE: A Request To Re-open The 2015 Race Date Assignment Hearing.** Cumberland Farmers Club has requested the Commission to re-open the 2015 Race Date Assignment Hearing. Cumberland Farmers Club is requesting two additional race cards, one on Monday, September 28 and one on Wednesday September 30, 2015.

- 10. RE: Hearing on Horse Supply.** Pursuant to 8 MRS Section 271 subsection 8, prior to August the Commission shall conduct a hearing to determine whether the horse supply in the State has been adequate for the number of dashes conducted on assigned race dates.

**Unfinished Business:**

1. Review Chapter 11 for advertising for 30 day written comment period. Review Chapters 7 and 1 for proposed changes.

**New Business:**

1. Pursuant to 8 MRS Section 267 the Commission will conduct a hearing to make findings regarding and develop any revisions to its budget for the second fiscal year of the biennium.

**Other Business:**

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**Reports:**

1. Executive Director's Report.

**Public Comment:**

**Date of Next Meeting: August, 2015**

**Adjourn:**